MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE.

Entered as Second-Class Matter Friday, February 19th, 1904 at the Postoffice at Barbourville, Knox County, Ky., under Act of Congress of March 3rd, 1879.

MOTTO:—LIVE FOR OUR FRIENDS—DO THE GREATEST AMOUNT OF GOOD WE CAN TO THE LARGEST NUMBER OF PEOPLE.

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UNION COLLEGE

Loses in Suit to Recover the $25.000 from the Speed Estate.

Before the death of Mrs. Speed, of Louisville, she agreed to give $5,000 toward the erection of the new dormitory for Union College here. She had paid $25,000 of the money before her death, and an effort was made by the trustees of the College to collect the remainder from her administrator, but owing to the fact that the contract was only an oral one, the Circuit Court of Louisville has decided that the administrator would not be authorized to pay over to the College the amount claimed, and thus the College had to bear the loss of the $25,000 which was so much needed to complete the new dormitory here.

Teachers' Examination.

The county teachers' examination that was held Friday and Saturday, June 17–18, was pronounced by the teachers as being the most difficult ever held here, and the Superintendent claims it was at least 20 per cent. harder that usual. The questions are furnished, however, by the State Superintendent, and he is responsible for making the examinations so rigid.

There were thirty-seven applicants for certificates, about one-half of whom succeeded in passing the examination. Certificates were issued as follows: Five first-class, 6 second-class, 7 third class, and 19 failed to pass who will have to try again.

Childers---Berry.

Last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, on Manchester street, in this city, Mr. Chas. Childers and Miss Nora Berry.

Mr. Childers is a member of the firm of Hignite & Childers of this place, and is a very popular young man, while the bride is an attractive young lady and is admired by all who know her.

The ADVOCATE extends congratulations and wishes for them a long and prosperous life.

Ice Cream Social.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give an ice cream supper Friday night, July 1, at the Knox Hotel building. Everybody cordially invited.

NOTICE.

Of Primary Election Aug. 9.

At a meeting of the Republican Committee of the Eleventh Congressional District of Kentucky, held in London, Ky., on March 2, 1904, was ordered that a primary election be held on Tuesday, August 9th, 1904, for the purpose of nominating a Republican candidate to be voted for at the regular November election, 1904, to represent said district in the 59th Congress of the United States.

In pursuance thereof, notice is hereby given that a primary election will be held at the regular voting places in each of the voting precincts in the counties of Adair, Bell, Casey, Clay, Clinton, Cumberland, Harland, Jackson, Knox, Laurel, Leslie, Letcher, Monroe, Owsley, Perry, Pulaski, Russell, Wayne and Whitley on Tuesday, August 9th, 1904, between the hours of 6 a. m. and 4 p. m., for the purpose of nominating a Republican candidate to be voted for at the regular November election 1904, to represent said Eleventh District of Kentucky in the 59th Congress of the United States.

W. W. BYRLEY,
Chairman of the Eleventh Congressional District Republican Committee of Kentucky.

L. K. Rice, Secretary.

UNION SERVICES.

The union services for the churches of Barbourville during the short, hot nights of the summer months will be as follows:

July 3	Christian church	Daws
" 10	M. E. church	Dickey
" 17	Baptist church	Terhune
" 24	M. E. church, South,	Myers
" 31	Christian church	Jolly
Aug. 7	Presbyterian church	Daws
" 14	Baptist church	Dickey
" 21	Christian church	Terhune
" 28	M. E. church	Myers

All the choirs are requested to assist in the singing. The public is cordially invited to attend all the services.

T. B. TERHUNE,
T. M. MYERS,
G. N. JOLLY,
J. V. DAVIS,
C. K. DICKEY.

Report of the Condition of the First National Bank at Barbourville, in the State of Kentucky,

At the Close of Business June 9th, 1904.

No 6262.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$ 86,164.61
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		535.97
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		6,500.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		633.75
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		6,375.44
Due from National Banks not reserve agents		5,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents		9,782.41
Checks and other cash items		727.66
Notes of other National Banks		375.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		114.28
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:		
Specie	$7,142.60	
Legal-tender notes	300.00	7,442.60
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer(5pr cent of circulation)		325.00
Total		$123,976.72

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$ 25,000.00
Surplus funds	2,400.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,928.78
National Bank notes outstanding	6,500.00
Due to other National Banks	145.35
Individual deposits subject to check	88,002.59
Total	$123,976.72

STATE OF KENTUCKY }
COUNTY OF KNOX } ss.

I, Wm. Lock, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. LOCK, CASHIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of June, 1904.

J. F. Stanfill, Notary Puplic.

CORRECT ATTEST:
John G. Matthews, and J. M. Lock F. R. Barner } Directors.

THE REPUBLICAN NOMINEES.

Theodore Roosevelt's Life.

1858—Born October 27, in New York City.

1880—Graduated at Harvard University.

1882-3-4—Served in New York Legislature.

1884—Chairman New York delegation to Republican National Convention.

1885—Defeated as Republican candidate for Mayor of New York.

1889-95—United States Civil Service Commissioner.

1895-7—President of Board of Police Commissioners of New York.

1897-8—Assistant Secretary Navy.

1898—Lieut. Colonel and Colonel of the First volunteer cavalry (Rough Riders) regiment in war with Spain.

1899—Elected Governor of New York.

1900—Elected Vice President of the United States.

1901—September 14—Succeeded to the presidency on death of Wm. McKinley.

1904—Nominated for President by Republican National Committee.

Charles W. Fairbanks' Life.

1852—Born May 11, near Unionville Center, Ohio.

1872—Graduated from Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio.

1873—Reporter for Assocated Press.

1874—Admitted to the Ohio State bar and married Miss Cordelia Cole.

1875—Began practice of the law in Indianapolis.

1888—Directed the candidacy of Walter Q. Gresham for the Republican nomination for President; actively engaged in the support of Benjamin Harrison, the party's nominee.

1893—Was the Republican caucus nominee for United States Senator, but was defeated for election by David Turple, Democrat.

1896—Worked to commit the Republican party in Indiana to the gold standard; headed his State delegation to the St. Louis convention and was temporary chair man of that body.

1897—Was elected to the United States Senate.

1898—Member of the Joint High British American Commission.

1903—Re-elected to United States Senate.

1904—Nominated for Vice President of the United States by the Republican party.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Cotrell and son of Fuer N. C. are the guests of Wm. Tye, of this county.

John Byrley and wife have taken rooms with Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Burnside, parents of Mrs. Byrley.

Mr. J. S. McNeil, postmaster at King, was a pleasant caller at this office Saturday, and entered his name upon our mailing list, and also the name of Miss Gertie Pope, handing us the cash for both. Thanks. Who's next?

Squire Peter Jarvis, of Jarvis Store, was a pleasant caller at this office last Friday, and added his name to our mailing list, and handed us the cash for the next twelve months.

Mrs. James D. Black has gone to Grayson Springs.

Mr. Cotrell is interested in some timber in this county.

Miss Florence Black who has been visiting relatives and friends in London has, has returned home.

Miss Joe Edds left for her home in Rose Hill, Va., Monday evening, after spending a very pleasant week with Miss Amanda Hemphill, of this place. Miss Edds was returning from Jackson, Ky., where she has been visiting her sister Mrs. R. L. Baker.

Mr. James D. Black and family are spending a few days at French Lick Springs.

Prof. J. P. Faulkner spent several days in Louisville this week on business.

Vernon and Clarence Faulkner went to Pulaski county the earlier part of the week on an extended visit.

Dr. W. C. Black was in Wayne county last week, and has returned again in the oil interest there.

Messrs. John R. Davis and Lewis Hampton were pleasant callers at this office yesterday and added their names to our subscription list, handing us the cash for same for which we extend thanks.

RETIRED TOO SOON.

William Jennings Bryan Doesn't Believe that a square Politician Sould Retire too Early in Life.

The literary sensation of the year seems to have arrived in the shape of a book written by Forrest Crissey, the well-known werstern author, called "Tattlings of a Retiried Politician." The literary form, which is a series of letters written by old Govenor Bill Bradley, a retire politician, to his young friend back in the old district, is merely a vehicle, for carrying an immense fund of political epigrams and wisdom and a succession of snappy and pointed political stories which are running over with humor and realism. The best part of these stories is that they are true. The old Govenor, after serving in the legislature in Congress, as Govenor and United States Senator, has retired to Brokenstraw Ranch. In these stories he "has taken the lid off," and is telling things. That the book is well written was to be expected, judging from Mr. Crissey's previous work, although this book and "The Country Boy," which appeared last year, are as far apart in style as the east is from the west. From the title to the last sentence of the nearly 500 pages the reader can get both profit and entertainment.

Physically, the book is a gem, and the 58 full pages illustrations by John T. McCutcheon form no small part of its attractiveness. Mr. McCutcheon is one of the most popular delineators of political life in America. His grasp of character is marvelous.

In commending this book in a personal letter to the author William Jennings Bryan naively say: "Your politician retired too soon.

The book is certain to create more than a ripple among politicians and will be received with favor by readers generally. It is entirely nonpartisan.

OUR CLUBBING OFFER.

As this is Presidential year and everybody is interested in the National Election and want to get the news, we have made special arrangements with the Louisville Herald to give the following offer:

MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE, weekly one year, and the Louisville Herald, daily, both one year for .... $ 2.50

ADVOCATE and daily and Sunday Herald .... $ 4.00

Advocate and Weekly Herald, both one year .... $ 1.30

This is remarkably cheap and will apply to all new subscribers to this paper. Cash in all instances must accompany the order and be sent to this.

If you are a subscriber to the ADVOCATE and want to take advantage of this offer, send us your money and we will extend the time of your subscription, one year more, and send you both papers.

Take advantage of this remarkably low rate while it lasts.

Make all orders payable to D. W. CLARK, and send to the MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE, Barbourville, Kentucky.

THE HOME CIRCLE COLUMN.

Crude Thuughts as they Fall from the Eeitorial Pen. Pleasant Evening Reveries.

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

DO not moan or repine over lost opportunities. Nothing will bring them back. But you live, and life means other opportunities, and hence rather press forward with full purpose to loose no more jewels than should bedeck your crown.

NOTHING is easier to form than a habit. The first action breaks a path through an untrodden wilderness, the next widens it, the third makes a trodden highway. When a young man or girl drops into slang for fun—or, still worse uses a word which borders on profanity—there is a feeling of recoil the first time; but habit removes restraint, and presently the unfortunate or improper mode of speech is used without conscious protest To beware of an evil habit is as important as to form a good one.

AS we pen this column especially in the interest of wives and mothers let us draw a picture that noble woman had the courage to witness and can look upon with pride while the bravest of men had business calling them elsewhere. How can we picture to ourselves a more touching scene than the one which drew forth from our Lord these words of tender love? "There stood by the Cross of Jesus, His mother, Mary, the wife of Cleophas, and Mary Magdalene," and with them was St John. Truly a sorrowful and loving band—the only ones who in the hour of shame dared to show their close personal sympathy with the Crucified. Only one man amongst them but there was three women there. Women oftentimes surpass men in courage, and they did on this occassion. St. Thomas had once said, "Let us also go that we may die with Him." But he did not go. St. Peter had avowed that though he died with the Lord he would not deny Him but we do not find him at the foot of the cross. But the three Marys are there. If by the publication of the Home Circle Column we gain the friendship and esteem of the queens of our homes, we will have no fears of being forsaken in time of troule.

Woman has yet to learn the purifying and blessed influence she may gain and maintain over the intellect and affections of the human mind. Though she may not teach from the portico, nor thunder from the forum, in her secret etirement she may form and send forth the sages that shall govern and renovate the world. Though she may not gird herself for bloody conflict, nor sound the trumpet of war, she may enrap herseld in the panolpy of heaven, and send the thrill of benevolence through a thousand youthful hearts. Though she may not enter the l'st in legal collison, nor sharpen her intelect amid the passion and conflict of men, she may teach the law of kindness, and hush up the discords, and conflicts of life. Tho' she may not be clothed as the embassador of heaven, nor minister at the altar of God, as a secret angel of mercy she may teach His will, and cause to assend the humble, but most accepted sacrifice.

WE are soon to celebrate the greatest of our national holidays, the birthday of our nation. Arrayed in all the beauties of the year the Fourth of July will soon visit us. Green fields and a ripening harvest proclaim it, a bright sun cheers it and the hearts of freemen bid it welcome. From the lisping babe in the cradle to the aged warrior whose gray hairs are fast sinking in the western horizon of life, every voice will on that day be turned to the accents of Liberty, Washington; Country. The American Constitution is the purchase of American valor. It is the rich prize that rewards the toil of eight years of war and blood. The Constitution is the great memorial of the deeds of our ancestors. On the pilar and on the arches of that dome their names are written and their achievements recorded. While that lasts in will carry down the record to future ages. Great Britton had carried the fame of her arms far and wide. She had reached her arms across the Eastern continent; had humbled France and Spain and given laws on the banks of the Ganges. A few scattered colonists did not rise up to contend with such a nation for mere renown. They had a nobler object, and in pursuit of that object they manifested a courage, constancy and union that deserves to be celebrated not only by every reader of the Home Circle Column, but by every poet and historian while language lasts. It is fitting as our nation's natal day again approaches that mothers should present their children with a word painting of the little ship "Mayflower." It was in the cabin of this little craft that the charter was established as the rule which would governe the Pilgrims upon landing on the bleak and desolate shore of Massachusetts, was the germ of our constitution, was the seed which, though cast in a rocky and forbidding soil, has grown and flourished until it has become a tree whose branches and shade have overspread this continent, whose fruits are culled by the eager hands of the patriotic all over the world, that they may be planted in other souls and bear fruit in other climes. Let us look forward with happy anticipation to the dawning of the Fourth of July morning and teach our children to properly observe the day.

THE LAND OF LIBERTY.

In union there is mighty strenth;
Together we will ever stand,
And to prove to all the world round
That we are living in freedom's land.

Unfurl the flag of stars and stripes
And let it float upon the breeze;
Let freedom ring from ev'ry voice
And echo through the forest trees.

This land is the home of liberty,
She gave to freedom sacred birth
And rocked it in its infant state,
To me the dearest spot on earth.

Glorious land of liberty,
In thee I live for thee I'd die,
And in thy bosom would I sleep
Till summoned to come on high.

If in the battlefield I fall.
Between flashing fire and smoky cloud;
Let me be buried on the spot,
The stars and stripes my winding shroud.

Our forefathers won this dear land
By bleeding on the battlefield;
Will guard it with the greatest care,
And until death we'll never yield.

There's many souls sleeping today
Beneath her bright and shining sun
That fell on the battlefield
When they this land of freedom won.

O! halt today, and drop one tear
Upon the soldiers 'humble graves
Who perished on the battlefield,
To win this land of the free and the brave.

Long let this land of freedom live,
And write its deeds on history pages;
Its foundation was wisely lain
On the solid "rock of ages."

O! thou blessed "Rock of Ages,
If any foe should ever rise;
Guide our flag on to victory,
From thy abode above the skies.

—GEORGE HIGGINS.

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A WORD TO CANDIDATES.

We will insert your name and the Office to which you aspire, in the proper place in this paper, and carry the same continuously until the Party Nominees are chosen, for the various offices as follows:

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" *Legislative* " "	10.00
" *County Offices Each*	5.00
" *Magisterial District*	2.50

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For President of the United States,
HON. THODORE ROOSEVELT,
of New York.
For Vice President,
HON. CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS,
of Indiana.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce
HON. W. GODFREY HUNTER
as a candidate for re-election to Congress from this the Eleventh Congressional District, subject to the will of the Republican party as expressed at the polls of the primary to be held on August 9th, 1904.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to anuounce
J. S. MILLER,
as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
J. M. ROBSION,
as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
J. T. STAMPER,
as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Knox County, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
T. J. WYATT,
as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Knox county subject to the action of the Republican primary Nov. 12, 1904.

FLEM D. SAMPSON,
is a candidate for the office of COUNTY JUDGE of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce
W. R. LAY
as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

FOR SHERIFF.

Having been requested and willing to accept, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.
S. C. EARLY.

We are authorized to announce
W. F. DOZIER
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
DAN H. WILLIAMS,
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Knox Connty, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce
WILLIE McDONALD
as a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
J. L. SILER
as a candidate for the office of Couuty Court Clerk of knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
G. P. BAIN
as a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk of Knox County, subject to the action of the; Republican primary Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
C. C. SMITH,
as a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk of Knox County, subject to the action of the Republican primary Nov. 12 04.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

We are authorized to announce
SAWYER A. SMITH,
as a candidate for Superintendent of Public Schools of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
M. G. HIGNITE
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Public Schools of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
BEN E. PARKER
as a candidate for Superintendent of Public Schools of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, November 12, 1904.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announe
T. C. PARROTT,
as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authoriled to announce
REV. J. T. MARTIN,
of Corbin, as a candidate for the office of Assessor, of Knox County, subject to the action of the Republican Primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce
W. M. MITCHELL
as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
G. N. BUCHANNAN,
as a candidate for the office of County Jailer of Knox county, subject to the will of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
NATHAN B. PARKER
as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, November 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
C. L. HARBIN,
as a candidate for the office of Jailer, of Knox County, subject to the action of the Republican Primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

FOR CORONER.

We are authorized to announce
HIRAM YEARY.
as a candidate for the office of Coroner of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary Nov. 12, 1904.

FOR MAGISTRATE 2nd, DISTRICT.

We are authorized to announce
NELSON GRAY,
of Flat Lick, a sa candidate for the office of Magistrate of the Second Magisterial District of Knox County, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904, and if successful will stand by the people of his district.

FOR MAGISTRATE 1st, DISTRICT.

We are authorized to announce
W. H. GRACE,
of Bailey's Switch, as a candidate for the office of Magistrate of the First District, subject to the action of the Republican Primary Nov, 12, 1904,

THE CHICAGO CONVENTION.

The Republican party in all of its history has never held a more remarkable convention than the one in Chicago last week.

The delegates sent there from all parts of the United States knew in advance what their mission was and did their work without a ripple to disturb the great wave of public sentiment which had preceded the convention.

The Democratic press had called the convention dull and lacking in enthusiasm, but they were only looking upon the surface of the great body, and as Speaker Cannon put it in his masterly address in taking the seat as permanent chairman, "They say there is no enthusiasm in this convention. The great river that has its thirty feet of water, rising in the mountains, growing in breadth and depth down to the ocean, bears upon its bosom the commerce of all the land it drains out of the world. It is a silent river, yet the brawling river that is like the river Platte out in Nebraska (14 miles wide and four inches deep) makes more noise than the biggest."

While this was purely vernacular and put in the spirit of good humor it characterizes the nature of the people.

There was enthusiasm, however, at Chicago, but of a different kind that often marks the gathering of political parties. It was the enthusiasm of universal and abounding confidence behind the administration of President Roosevelt with his record of national honor upheld and national power and business prosperity advanced.

No one present could fail to be impressed by the prevailing confidence in the election of Roosevelt and Fairbanks.

The convention made no mistakes, and the people of the United States wlll ratify the work on November 8th by electing this ticket by the largest popular vote ever polled in the United States.

THE Mountain Echo is waging bitter warfare upon Dr. Hunter, who is now a candidate from this, the Eleventh district.

It appears to us that Mr. Linney, editor of the Echo, is the last man who should boast of the defeat of Dr. Hunter for United States Senator. Every Republican in Kentucky knows that Dr. Hunter managed the campaign in which, for the first time in the history of the State a Republican was elected governor. At the same time under his efficient management, the State Legislature was also made Republican for the first time. It was the duty of that Leigislature to elect a United States Senator. Dr. Hunter was given the caucus nomination of the Republican party in the Legislature for this high office.

Mr. Linney was then a member of the State Senate and had a vote for U. S. Senator, but with four others who were sent to the General Assembly as Republicans by their constituents, bolted the nominee and refused to support Dr. Hunter, causing a long dead-lock, which finally resulted in the withdrawal of Dr. Hunter and the election of W. J. DeBoe.

The true Republican spirit that Dr. Hunter showed on that occasion should never be forgotten by his friends or his party. When he saw that there was no possibility of getting these bolters to unite with the party and elect him to the office he had so justly earned, he gracefully handed back to the party the nomination, and permitted the election of some other Republican rather than continue the dead-lock and take the chances of allowing a Democrat to be elected to succeed Senator Blackburn.

Some of the very men for whom Dr. Hunter had spent months of his time and perhaps thousands of his money, knifed him at the very first opportunity, and are not content with that, but continue to hound him still.

It was not the purpose of the ADVOCATE to take any hand in the contest for the Congressional nomination between Dr. Hunter and his opponents, and at this time we shall not say aught against any of them, as they are all honorable men, and if nominated, we will give them our hearty support; but we do not intend to see a paper in this district claiming to be Republican, make such vicious attacts upon Dr. Hunter without resenting it. Dr. Hunter has shown that he is a true Republican, and is therefore worthy of the support of any Republican in this district. He was the man who made the Third district Republican and would to-day be representing that district in Congress, but from the fact that a Democratic Legislature cut his county off into this district.

He has the interest of his party at heart, and is a high-toned gentlemen and no Republican has a better record for fighting Democrats and supporting Republican nominees in the State than he, and we believe he will receive the endorsement of this district which will return him again as the Representative of this grand old Eleventh district.

If Senator Linney was sent out from Louisville to preach such doctrine to the voters of this district as is contained in the Echo, and to try to teach us how to vote, we believe the voters will repudiate him, and if his vote in the election of a United States Senator is a sample of how he wants the Republicans here to vote, we will state that we don't need any of his instructions. We are Republicans and will not tolerate a *bolter* and will resent his *teachings.*

THE little thumb paper issued from the Corbin office under the name of The Laborer, has attemped to apologize tor the feeble attempt it made in trying to defend one of its citizens whom, it is alleged, we had made an undue attack upon concerning his politics.

The truth is, and The Laborer ought to have known it, that unless the candidate had declared himself subject to the Republican primary, he would have been barred from entering the primary, and the county committee would have been justified in refusing to permit his name to appear upon the official ballot.

We entertained no personal feelings against Bro. Martin, but on the contrary, we wanted to see him set at rights before the committee and also before the people.

We would suggest that if The Laborer does not want to get entangled in the meshes of politics it had better steer clear of espousing the cause of political candidates.

The National Democratic convention will meet next week in St. Louis and the wall street politicians are offering to bet 4 to 1 that Cleveland will be the nominee ot the Convention.

Acting Govenor Thorne got his pardon mill to grinding during the absence of the boy govenor at the Word's fair but he has several pledes yet that have not been fulfilled.

Grand 4th of July Celebration

At the Fair Grounds Under the Directions of La Belle Lodge, No. 59. I. O. O. F.

The Following Program Will Be Rendered:

WALKING RACE—To the one making the best time around the track, one pair of fine shoes, by Hays & Bowman, dealers in gent's furnishing goods.

CLIMBING GREASED POLE—One pair of $2.00 shoes, by Gibson & Plank, dealers in gent's and ladies' furnishing goods.

SACK RACE—Cash $2.00, by G. P. Bain, Judge Police Court.

PRETTIEST GIRL BABY UNDER TWO YEARS OF AGE—One high chair, by the Palace Furniture Company.

PRETTIEST BOY BABY UNDER TWO YEARS—One solid gold ring, by R. W. Cole, dealer in groceries and hardware.

UGLIEST MAN—One butcher knife, by A. W. Hopper, groceries and hardware.

PRETTIEST UNMARRIED LADY OVER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE—Dress pattern, by T. F. Faulkner, dealer in dry goods and groceries.

NICEST DRESSED LADY—One pair of lady's $3.00 shoes, by Parker Bros., dealers in general merchandise.

NICEST TURNOUT—Two pairs kid gloves for lady and gentleman, Dan H. Williams, general store and wagons.

SORRIEST TURNOUT—Cash $2.00, by Jesse D. Tuggle, attorney.

BEST BEHAVED MAN—One-fourth dozen silk handkerchiefs, by Wilson Bros., dealers in groceries, and sells Banner bread.

WINNERS IN CAKE WALK—Cash $3.00 each, by La Belle Lodge, No. 59, I. O. O. F.

Second—Cash $2.00, by John G. Matthews, President First National Bank.

HUNGRIEST MAN—Four pounds of nice steak, by J. B. Stivers, the butcher.

BEST GIRL HORSEBACK RIDER—Belt, valued at 50 cents, by E. T. England, general store; sells everything.

TALLEST LADY—A $2.50 gold brooch, by J. H. Faulkner; sells groceries and jewelry.

BEST LADY HORSEBACK RIDER—One gold filling, by E. B. Dishman, D. D. S.

BEST BOY HORSEBACK RIDER—One case of pop, by the Cumberland Beverage Works.

All the prizes mentioned above will positively be given. Base ball at 2 o'clock. Come and have one more gaily day. Admission Free.

For privileges, call on or address J. R. HAYS or W. H. McDONALD, Barbourville, Kentucky.

NO. 7284. Treasury Department,

Office of Comptroller of the Currency

WASHINGTON, D. C., JUNE 1, 1904.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that

"The National Bank of John A. Black of Barbourville,"

located in the City of Barbourville, in the county of Knox and State of Kentucky, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking.

Now therefore I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that

"The National Bank of John A. Black of Barbourville,"

located in the City of Barbourville, in the county of Knox and State of Kentucky, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty-one hundred and Sixty-nine, of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this First day of June, 1904.

{SEAL.} **T. P. KANE,**
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

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A. W. HOPPER, DEALER IN **Staple & Fancy Groceries, Hardware and Tinware.**

New Election Precincts Formed by the Knox County Court.

KNOX COUNTY COURT.

Special Term, 17th Day of June, 1904.

IT APPEARING TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE COURT, that the public convenience and the public good requires that the changes hereinafter set out should be made in the different voting precincts in Knox county. It is therefore now ordered and adjudged:

FIRST.—That the boundary of precinct No. 3 be, and it is hereby changed, so that the boundary of said precinct shall be as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at Esom Terrel's line at Cumberland river; thence running with Esom Terrel's line, excluding said Terrel's farm to Josh Logan's line, excluding said Logan's farm to Robert Jackson's line, excluding said Jackson's farm to James Williams' line, excluding said Williams' farm to Ance Lewallen's line, including said Lewallen's farm to the top of the ridge at the head of Bull Run and Jesse Logan branches; thence with the ridge, the dividing waters of Jesse Logan branch and Indian creek, to a point opposite Jacob Foley's farm, thence a northernly direction from said Foley's line, excluding said Jacob Foley's farm, to the Barbourville and Wilton road; thence with said road westwardly to the John Logan farm, including said farm and with said Logan's line to the top of the hill to a point opposite where W. H. Campbell lives and the Jack Cooper place on Henry branch; thence continuing up the ridge to a point above Spence Foley's farm and excluding same; thence with top of ridge excluding Rock Lick Fork to James Helton's farm on Indian creek, excluding said Helton's farm; thence nearly north with said Helton's line, excluding said Helton's to Morgan Sexton's line; thence nearly north with said Sexton's line, excluding said Sexton's farm to Cass Thomas' line; thence with said Thomas' line, excluding his farm, to Burl Mullen's line; thence with said Mullen's line, excluding his farm, to a point at the tunnel, the original line between precincts Nos. 2 and 3, in the gap in the Barbourville and London road, thence with the Barbourville and London road to the city limits of Barbourville; thence with Main street to the center of the halls in the center of the Court-house; thence with River street to the steel bridge across Cumberland; thence up Cumberland river with same to the line between the lands of W. R. Davis and John Miller; thence with the line between said farms to the top of said ridge between Cumberland river and Hooker branch; thence with that ridge to the top of the main river ridge; thence with river ridge so as to include the waters of Hooker branch and Swan Pond creek, and with the old line of precinct No. 3, as orignially made to Cumberland river; thence with the river to the beginning. The voting place to be at or near the west side of Public Square, in Barbourville, and to be known as precinct No. 3.

SECOND.—That Artemus precinct No. 13 shall hereafter be known and designated as Artemus precinct No. 4.

THIRD.—That the precinct now known as Flat Lick, No. 4, be divided, and two precincts formed thereof, one of which is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Knox and Bell county line where it crosses Cumberland river; thence down the river with same to the ford of the river between Ely's mill and the Wilson farm; thence leaving the river and running with the county road to the forks of the road in Flat Lick; thence with right fork of said road, known as the old State road, to the forks of the road in old Flat Lick at the Polly Jones' farm; thence with the main Stinking creek road to the forks of the road at the forks of the creek, at the old John Slusher place; thence up the spur between the Big creek and the Road fork, and running with same to the divide between Middle fork and Brice's creek, the Road fork precinct line; thence with the road fork precinct line down the ridge so as to exclude Brice's creek to the mouth of said Brice's creek; thence up the Road fork to the bridge across said fork; thence with the county road leading up Road fork to the forks of the road at the ford of the creek near the School-house; thence with the fork ridge between Road fork and Hale's creek, so as to include the waters of Hale's creek to the top of the divide between Stinking creek and Richland; thence with the divide to the waters of Turkey and Fighting creeks; thence with the divide between Turkey and Fighting creeks to the old State road where the waters divide; thence up the ridge west to the top of the ridge and to the line between the farms of W. S. Woodson and Wm. Fortney; thence with the line between said Woodson and Fortney to Stinking creek; thence down said creek to J. W. Keel's line; thence with said Keel's line, excluding his farm, and with the line between said Keel and S. J. Watts, to Cumberland river; thence down and across Cumberland river to the line between James M. Durham and the James Pursifull farms; thence with the line between said Durham and Pursifull farms to the top of the river ridge; thence with said ridge to the Knox and Bell county line; thence with the county line to the beginning. The voting place to be at or near the public school-house at Flat Lick, and to be known as West Flat Lick precinct No. 5.

FOURTH.—The other precinct formed from the old Flat Lick precinct is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Knox and Bell county line where it crosses Cumberland river; thence down the river and with same to the ford of the river between the Ely mill and the Wilson farm; thence leaving the river and running with the county road to the forks of the road in Flat Lick; thence with the right fork of said road, known as the old State road, to the forks of the old road in Flat Lick at the Polly Jones place; thence with the main Stinking creek road to the forks of the road at the forks of the creek at the old John Slusher place; thence up the spur to the divide between the Road fork and Big creek, to the upper Stinking creek line to the Pall Walker farm; thence with the upper line of said Walker farm and the upper Stinking precinct line to the Knox and Bell county line; thence with the county line to the beginning. The voting place to be in Flat Lick, east of the county road, and to be known as East Flat Lick precinct No. 6.

FIFTH.—That the precinct now known as Upper Stinking precinct No. 5, be divided and two precints formed thereof, one of which is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the top of the ridge on the county line between Bell and Knox at a point west of the Roaring fork of Stinking creek; thence down the ridge to Big Stinking creek so as to strike the east line of the Pall Walker farm; thence with said line and up to the top of the ridge which divides the waters of Middle fork and Road fork; thence with said ridge to a point west of Brice's creek; thence with the divide back of Larkin Hubbard's farm, but so as to exclude the said Larkin Hubbard's farm; thence leaving said divide and running with the lower lines of the divide between the waters of Middle fork and Big Stinking creek; thence with said divide to the Knox and Clay connty line; thence with the Knox and Clay county line to the Knox and Bell county line; thence with the Knox and Bell county line to the beginning. The voting place to be at or near the Allen Messer school-house on the Big creek, and to be known as the Upper Stinking precinct No. 7.

SIXTH.—The other precinct formed from the Upper Stinking precinct is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the top of the mountain, the divide between Middle fork and Brice's creek, the corner of the Flat Lick and Upper Stinking creek precincts; thence with the Flat Lick precinct line down the ridge so as to include the waters of Brice's creek to the mouth of said Brice's creek; thence up the Road fork to the bridge across said fork; thence with the county road leading up Road fork to the forks of the road at the ford of the creek near the school-house; thence with the Fork ridge between Road fork and Hale's creek, excluding the waters of Hale's creek to top divide between Road fork and Richland; thence with the said divide to the divide between Road fork and the waters of Goose creek; thence with said divide to the Knox and Clay county line; thence with said county line to the top of the mountain between the waters of Goose creek and Middle fork and Big Stinking creek; thence with the divide between Big Stinking creek and Middle fork to a point on the said divide above the Larkin Hubbard farm; thence leaving said divide and running with the lower lines of said Larkin Hubbard's farm so as to include all of said farm to the top of the divide between Middle fork and Brice's creek; thence with the divide between Middle fork and Brice's creek to the beginning.

The voting place to be at or near the Milt Jackson school-house on Road fork, and to be known as Road Fork precinct No. 8.

SEVENTH.—That Girdler precinct, now No. 6, is hereafter to be known and designated as Girdler precinct No. 9.

EIGHTH.—That Black's precinct, now No. 7, is hereafter to be known and designated as Black's precinct No. 10.

NINTH.—That Grays precinct be divided and new precincts be established therefrom, one of which is decribed as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the forks of the road near Liberty school-house; thence a northeast direction leading down Negro creek to the forks of the road near James Francis' farm; thence with the road leading from said Francis farm to the Helton fork of Indian creek above Jesse Helton's farm; thence an eastern direction a straight line to the top of the ridge to the North Jellico precinct at the L. and N. railroand bridge near Grays; thence southeast with said railroad to a point where the road leading from Al Brafford's store to North Jellico crosses said railroad; thence east with said North Jellico road to the county road; thence southeast with said countv road to where said road crosses the L. and N. railroad near Rossland; thence southeast with said railroad to the tunnel; thence northeast with the ridge the dividing waters of Lynn Camp and Owens' branch; thence north and east following the dividing ridge between Owens' branch and Richland creek so as to include the C. C. Gilliam farm where Irvin and Thomas Gilliam now live, to the county road near Thomas Gilliam's; thence an eastern direction with said road where intersects the road near John Helton's farm; thence nearly north with said road to the forks of the road at the old Higgins farm; thence a northeast direction to the top of the hill, which divides the waters of Middle fork of Richlland and Big Richland; thence continuing with said divide to the Laurel county line; thence northwest with said county line to the county road that leads past Sophia Engles' farm and the line of the Corbin voting precinct; thence south with said road (being the old Salt Lick road) and the Corbin precinct line, to and past Place, Ky., continued on to the forks of the road near Liberty school-house to the beginning.

The voting place to be at Grays, Ky., and to be known as Gray precinct No. 11.

TENTH.—Another precinct formed from the old Gray precinct is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the L. and N. railroad bridge where it crosses Forty Mile branch of Lynn Camp creek; thence a southwest direction with a straight line to the top of the hill that divides the Engle branch and Screw Auger branch; thence with said ridge to a point opposite Esom Campbell's farm, so as to include the said Campbell, Jim Helton, Morgan Sexton, Cass Thomas and Burl Mullens farms; thence from the said Mullens' farm to the top of the tunnel hill over the railroad; thence with said railroad and with the Grays precinct line to where it crosses the county road near Rossland; thence with the said county road to the forks of the road leading to North Jellico; thence with said road leading to North Jellico to where it crosses the L. and N. railroad; thence with said railroad to the beginning.

The voting place to be at or near the North Jellico school-house, and to be known and designated as North Jellico precinct No. 13. (The Corbin precinct being No. 12.)

ELEVENTH.—That Indian creek precinct be divided and new precincts be established comprising said precinct, one of which is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the bridge across Lynn Camp creek at the Whitley county line; thence with the Whitley county line southeastwardly to a point opposite the James Elliott farm, so as to include said Elliott farm; thence a straight line to the county road at J. B. Logan's farm and including said farm; thence with said county road to the bridge between James McVey and John Engle farms; thence crossing the Barbourville and Woodbine road northeast to the top of the ridge that divides Helton's fork and the fork on which W. H. Campbell lives on Indian creek; thence northwest with the top of the ridge to the line of the North Jellico precinct; thence a western direction with said precinct line to a point on top of the hill opposite Jesse Helton's; thence southwest to the forks of the road above Jesse Helton's fork of Indian creek; thence southwest from said point with the road leading from said point to Negro creek, to a point near James Francis at forks of the road; thence with the county road leading by the old Liberty school-house to the beginning, including Henry Bryant's farm.

The voting place to be at or near the Wilton school-house, to be known and designated as Wilton precinct No. 14.

TWELFTH.—Another precinct is formed from a part of the old Indian creek precinct and a part of the Poplar precinct which new precinct is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at Cumberland river where the Knox and Whitley county line crosses said river; thence up said river with same to the John Stafford farm; thence with the Stafford farm so as to include said Stafford farm, and on in a northerly direction so as to include the farms of Elom Partin, Margaret Prichard and Pall Prichard to Cumberland river; thence up and across said river so as to include Esom Terrell's farm; thence a northernly direction including the Josh Logan farm, the Robert Jackson farm, the James Williams farm, the Ance Lewallen farm to the top of the ridge at the head of Bull Run and Jesse Logan branch; thence with the ridge to dividing waters of Jesse Logan branch and Indian creek to a point opposite Jacob Foley's farm, and including his farm to the county road leading from Barbourville to Wilton; thence with said road to the John Logan farm and with said Logan farm including said farm to the top of the hill to a point opposite where W. H. Campbell lives and the Jack Cooper place on Henry branch; thence continuing with the ridge to a point above Spence Foley's farm and including said Foley's farm; thence with the top of the ridge including Rock Lick fork to James Helton's farm on Indian creek, but excluding Helton's farm: thence with Esom Campbell's line excluding his farm, to the top of the hill between the Helton branch and Campbell branch; thence nearly north crossing said ridge and the Barbourville and Wilton road to a bridge on the Helton fork of Indian creek between James McVey and John Engle farms; thence with the Barbouville and Williamsburg road to J. B. Logan's farm; thence with J. B. Logan's line excluding his farm; thence a straight line to the James Elliott farm, excluding said Elliott's farm; thence with said Elliott's line to the Knox and Whitley county line; thence with the county line to the beginning.

The voting place at or near the Engle school-house on Big Indian creek, and is known and designated as Indian Creek precinct No. 15.

THIRTEENTH.—The Poplar creek precinct No. 10, is hereafter to be known and designated as Poplar Creek precinct No, 16.

FOURTEENTH.—That Brush creek precinct No. 11 shall hereafter be known and designated as Brush Creek No. 17.

J. S. MILLER,
County Judge of Knox County.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, }
COUNTY OF KNOX. }

I, John Parker, Clerk of the County Court for the County and State aforesaid, do certiy that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the order making new voting precincts and new boundaries to all the voting precincts in this, Knox County, Kentucky, as appears upon the Records in my office, in Order Book J, Page 475.

Witness my hand this the 24th day of June, 1904.

John Parker

Clerk Knox County Court.

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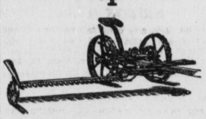

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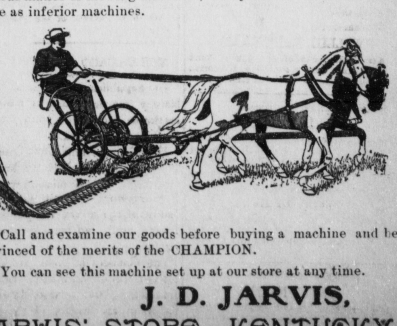

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LOCALS.

We are authorized to announce

GEORGE HAMMONS,

of Girdler, Precinct as a candidate for the office of Assessor, of Knox county, subject to the action of the Repulican primary, November 12, 1904.

Next Monday will be the glorious 4th.

Wonder how Roose-felt when he heard from the Chicago convention.

Rev. E. B. Hill preach in the M. E. church next Saturday morning. Sacrament of Lord's Supper after morning sermon. A cordial invitation to all.

There are two holidays that this office observers, one of them is the 4th of July. Therefore we will not contract to get out any work Monday. If you want printing done have it done to-day.

The Eleventh Congressional District Committee met in this city yesterday and transacted some very important business. Dr. Hunter and son Godfrey were here to attend the meeting, and paid this office a pleasant call.

We give our readers some very interesting reading matter this week, which is a full description of the new voting precincts recently established by the County Court and recorded in Book J, 475, of the Knox County Records. It might be well for all our readers to presrve this copy, as it will be useful at election time.

A petition was filed in the County Court last Monday, asking that the county be re-districted into more than five and less than eight magisterial districts.

The court appointed G. Mat Smith, of Flat Lick, Jay Lay, of Little Brush creek, and S. B. Reese, of Indian creek, as Commissioners, to make the apportionment. They will make a report in writing to the court laying out the new districts for his approval, which, if confirmed, will establish the proposed new districts.

Miss Emma Coone, of Flat Lick, died very suddenly at her home last Saturday evening of cholera morbus. She had been engaged at her sewing machine only a short time before she was taken ill and died in a few hours after she was stricken,

Funeral services were conducted Sunday under the management of A. W. Hopper, the funeral director, of this city.

In this issue will be found the official announcement of Mr. C. C. Smith for the office of County Court Clerk. Mr. Smith was raised in this county, and is well and favorably known by many of the voters of the county. He was a candidate for this office at the last election, but was defeated by a small majority. He has never held public office himself but he has always worked earnestly and faithfully to secure an office for his friends. He is a life-long Republican and comes with his claims to the Republicans, and asks for an endorsement and support in his race for the nomination to the office he is seeking. Mr. Smith is well qualified to fill the position of County Court Clerk, and should the Republicans decide to entrust the keeping of the official records in his hands, there is no doubt but they would be properly looked after and cared for. He asks that his claims be given due consideration in selecting the nominee for County Court Clerk.

In to-day's issue appears the official announcement of George Hammons for the office of Assessor of Knox county. Mr. Hammons is well known throughout the county, having been born and raised in the county. He has never held or asked for public office, but has always been a faithful party worker, and has always assisted his friends to secure office. He places his claims in the hands of the party for which he has worked so earnestly and faithfully, and asks that the Republicans of Knox county give him their endorsement by making him the party nominee, and we feel sure that should be receive the nomination that he will give the people faithful and honest service and make for himself a good name, and for the people, a good official. Remember him when casting your vote at the November primary.

Surprise Wedding.

The community was surprised last Tuesday morning to learn that Mr. John Gates and Mrs. Sena A. Lane were quietly married at the bride's residence in this city last Monday night.

The bridal party left immediately on the night train for Burnside, the home of the groom. The ADVOCATE joins in wishing the happy couple prosperity and long life.

THE ADVOCATE last week outstripped all competition and came out with the news of the Chicago convention twelve hours ahead of any other newspaper published circulated here. The nominations were made Thursday. That of President Roosevelt at 11:7 a. m., and Vice-President Fairbanks at 1:24 p. m. At 1:18 p. m., Roosevelt was declared the unanimous choice of the convention, and at 2:08 Fairbanks was also unanimiously declared the nominee of the same convention. At 3:00 p. m., the convention adjourned sine die. Before 6:00 p. m., the same day, the ADVOCATE was in the postoffice here, giving a full account of the proceedings, and the patrons had read the news of the convention from it. The next morning at 7:00 a. m., the daily papers arrived, telling the same news that our readers had read the evening before in the ADVOCATE.

When it comes to giving the news, the ADVOCATE sets the pace, while others try to follow.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

All correspondents who write for this paper are requested to report the news briefly and confine themselves to news. Puffs for merchants come under the head of paid locals, and would be inserted at the rate of 5 cents per line, otherwise we must pencil them.

Be careful not to write anything that will prove offensive to any one; a good joke is appreciated by all, but we want to make friends and not enemies of all with whom we come in contact.

Write on only one side of your paper and be sure to sign your own name to the manuscript—not for publication but for future reference and to show good faith—a failure to do this will hereafter necessarily consign your letters to the waste basket.

Please read these notes and bear them in mind, and write on one side of the paper only.

Respectfully,

THE EDITOR.

☞ We have received this week some very interesting correspondence from Messer, and also from Mills, but as the editors failed to sign their names to the letters we were forced to consign them to the waste basket. We hope they will write again and sign their name next time, so that we can use their items.

Georgetown, Ky.

Weather extremely hot—90 in the shade.

A copious rainfall in this section on the evening of the 24th.

Theodore Fleming is having a handsome frame residence erected on North Broadway.

Bud Wolf's wife and babe made a drive to Lone Elm on the evening of the 23d.

Harvest is now with us, and the song of the merry husbandman is heard as he gathers together the golden grain.

The palatial home of Delingplain that is being built near the Elks Fair Grounds, will soon be completed and ready for occupancy.

There has been the largest ship ment of bluegrass seed from this place the present season that we have known of before.

Mayor J. W. Keller was in Beattyville the past week.

Corn and tobacco growing nicely and the prospects for a full crop is flattering.

Mrs. Robert Coleman, of Donerail, was visiting in Cincinnati the past week.

We were very much delighted with the poem, "My Mountain Home," by George Higgins, and would like to have another from his ready pen.

George Tucker and wife, of South Broadway, are visiting the sister of Mr. Tucker at Tyrone during the week.

Robert Coleman had a good horse killed on the evening of the 24th by one of the Georgetown, Lexington and Paris trolley cars.

Evemont Hambrick is erecting a neat and commodious frame cottage at the corner of Bourbon and Mulberry streets.

We were astonished by the challenge of Bluegrass Johnny, of Oxford, to Hayseed, of Lone Elm. It does appear to us that some one had their corns stepped upon. We doubt not a fellow feels a little off when his girl is at the World's Fair with another man and he is compelled to remain at home.

THE SMILING ONE.

Ola, Ky.

On account of the wet weather farmers are quite behind in the weeds as they are accumulating very fast.

John S. Webb and wife visited homefolks Saturday and Sunday.

E. M. and S. E. Hammons were in the burg Monday on particular business.

Lula and Wash Jenkins visited Jane Hammons Sunday.

S. P. Jenkins paid Miss Birdie Webb an extended visit Sunday.

Rev. Riggs and Ballou held a nice little meeting at the mouth of Bottom fork, and we had a fine meeting according.

Jane Jenkins passed through here this morning en route to Dr. Collins' on business.

James Collins, J., fell from the top of a mulberry tree Sunday, breaking his arm at the wrist. He is suffering very much.

Mrs. L. J. Jenkins, wife of George Jenkins, is very sick at this writing.

Wash Jenkins is preparing to move around the bend in a few days.

Mrs. Jane Franklin and daughter paid Rockhouse a visit last week.

Eliza Franklin, of Colly, was here Monday on business.

James J. Webb is visiting friends at the mouth of Millstone this week.

Miss Joe Edds left for her home in Rose Hill, Va., Monday afternoon after spending a very pleasant week with Miss Amanda Hemphill, of this place. Miss Edds was returning from Jackson, Ky., where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Baker.

ALL.

Oxford, Ky.

Some few of the farmers are laying by corn, and, are behind with their work.

Several of our young men attended County Court at Cynthiana last Monday.

Kimbrough Jouett has returned home from a visit to Troy, and reported a delightful time.

Ed. Smith candidate for sheriff of Scott county, was in our little town last Monday scattering cards and shaking hands with his many friends. Lookout boys he is coming up second.

Amos Hammond, of Georgetown, was out last Monday buying cattle.

The death angel visited our midst last Friday June 24th at 3:20 and took from us Mrs. Martha Ann Gunnell, wife of Willis Gunnell. Mrs. Gunnell was born Aug. 24th, 1847. married Willis Gunnell Dec. 11th, 1882, during a protracting meeting at the Dry Run Christian Church, under preaching of John A. Gano, she made the good confessson Aug. 1867.

In 1885 she took membership with the Oxford Christian church since that she has been a very active member, always ready to give and help the churches if she thought she could give five dollars, she would give ten to the cause.

It was hard for her loved ones to stand by her bedside and see her breathe her last and to see the color and bright smiles leave her face, that they so much loved, but when the angel of death takes us by the hand and whispers come we must go, we can but answer I am ready. Lord thy will not mine be done—and the debt is paid forever.

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Peerless ice cream freezers 3 qts	2.00
Peerless ice cream freezers 4 qts	2.50
Peerless ice cream freezers 6 qts	3.25
Frezo ice cream freezers 3 qts	1.80
Frezo ice cream freezers 4 qts	2.25
10-quart galvanized water pails	.15
12-quart galvanized water pails	.20
Plain screen doors, any size	.75
Nice front screen doors, any size	1.10
Fancy screen doors, any size	1.50
Green screen wire any size per yard	12½
Galvanized screen wire, any size per yard	17½
2 bu. sack salt, won't get hard	.60
3 bu. sack salt, won't get hard	.90
5-lb, bag fine table salt for	.05
20 lbs. Brown sugar for	1.00
17 lbs. Granulated sugar for	1.00
Arbuckle package coffee, per lb.	12½
Hawkeye bulk roasted coffee per pound	12½
No. 2 Santos roasted coffee per pound	.15
No. 3 Santos roasted coffee per pound	.20
Mocha and Java roasted coffee per pound	.25
Dry salt meat, 10 cts. by side	.09
Silver leaf lard, 11 cts. by can	.10
Premium leaf lard, 12½, by can	.11
Highest patent flour per bbl. $6.00, per sack	.75
Second patent flour per bbl. $5.60, per sack	.70

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L. & N. Local Time Card

IN EFFECT APRIL 1, 1904.

No. 81 Daily.	No. 23 Daily.	Trains do not stop at Station where no time is shown.	No. 24 Daily.	No. 80 Daily.
3:15 a. m.	3:22 p. m.	Corbin	10:20 a. m.	11:20 p. m.
3:26 a. m.	3:24 p. m.	Grays	10:05 a. m.	11:07 p. m.
	3:26 p. m.	Emanuel	9:50 a. m.	
3:50 a. m.	4:00 p. m.	Barbourville	9:37 a. m.	10:42 p. m.
3:58 a. m.	4:10 p. m.	Artemus	9:29 a. m.	10:35 p. m.
4:09 a. m.	4:21 p. m.	Flat Lick	9:18 a. m.	10:25 p. m.
4:24 a. m.	4:38 p. m.	Pineville	8:58 a. m.	10:10 p. m.
4:29 a. m.	4:43 p. m.	Wasioto	8:54 a. m.	10:06 p. m.
	4:55 p. m.	Ferndale	8:42 a. m.	
4:55 a. m.	5:12 p. m.	Middlesboro	8:25 a. m.	9:40 p. m.

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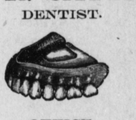

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